

WHEREAS, veterans of the United States Navy, Marines and Coast Guard have played an important part in the defense of our nation; and

WHEREAS, the Navy Mothers' Club of America and its South Dakota affiliate have for a number of years sought to assist those veterans now hospitalized by conducting an annual Navy Mothers' Tag Day in June of each year; and

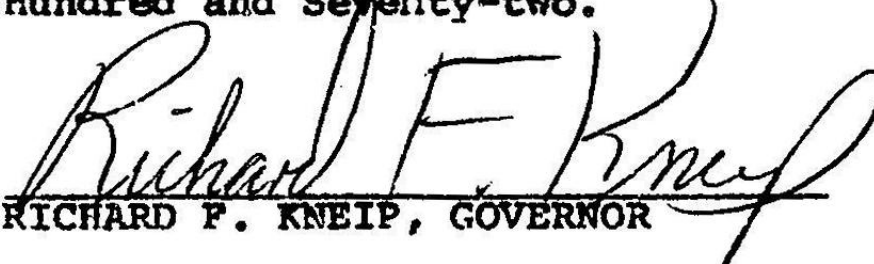
WHEREAS, the date chosen for this year's Tag Day is Saturday, June 17:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the day of June 17, 1972, as

NAVY MOTHERS' TAG DAY IN SOUTH DAKOTA

and do urge all South Dakotans to participate in this worthy effort and to recognize the sacrifices of our Navy, Marine and Coast Guard Veterans and the efforts of the Navy Mothers to assist those who are hospitalized.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 31st Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-two.


RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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